

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ELESHA SOTO,
Plaintiff,

v.

SONOMA COUNTY CHILD
PROTECTIVE SERVICES,
Defendant.


Case No. [24-cv-07833-HSG](#)

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

On or about November 7, 2024, the Court docketed a 2-page handwritten document received from Plaintiff, in which Plaintiff stated that he was seeking to collect on civil claims. Dkt. No. 1. Because Plaintiff sought relief from this Court, the Court opened an action pursuant to this filing. That same day, the Court sent Plaintiff deficiency notices, instructing Plaintiff that he was required to file, within twenty-eight days, (1) a complaint on a complaint by a prisoner form, and (2) an *in forma pauperis* application. Dkt. Nos. 2, 3. The deadline to file these documents has passed, and Plaintiff has not filed the required documents. This action cannot proceed without the specified documents. Accordingly, this action is **DISMISSED** for failure to file a complaint on the proper form and for failure to either pay the filing fee or file an *in forma pauperis* application. The dismissal is without prejudice to Plaintiff filing a motion to reopen the action. Any motion to reopen must be accompanied by a complaint on the proper form and either the filing fee or an *in forma pauperis* application.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: 12/11/2024


HAYWOOD S. GILLIAM, JR.
United States District Judge